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In re application of

Michael Wayne Brown, et al.

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CALL CONTEXT

: Before the Examiner:

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Sir:

- We, Michael Wayne Brown, Joseph Herbert McIntyre, Michael A. Paolini, James 1. Mark Weaver, and Scott Lee Winters, are the applicants of the patent application identified above and inventors of the subject matter described and claimed therein.
- 2. Prior to February 8, 2002, we had completed our invention as described and claimed in the subject application, as evidenced by the following:
 - a. Prior to February 8, 2002, we wrote an invention disclosure describing our invention as described in the subject matter and claimed in the present application. The disclosure was initially entered in the invention disclosure database system used to manage invention disclosures for the intellectual property department of International Business Machines Corporation prior to February 8, 2002. This invention disclosure is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

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- 3. All the acts described in paragraphs 1 and 2 occurred in the United States.
- The dates deleted from Exhibit A are all prior to February 8, 2002.

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